Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—Yes.

198. **Mr. N. Padmanabha Menon.**—Will the Government be pleased to state whether Mr. P. A. Anantarama Ayyar was so provided for; if not, why not?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—Please see *Appendix "A."*

199. **Mr. N. Padmanabha Menon.**—Will the Government be pleased to place on the table a copy of the petition sent to the Government by Mr. Anantarama Ayyar in this connection and the Diwan's reply thereon?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—Please see *Appendices "C" and "G."*

200. **Mr. N. Padmanabha Menon.**—Will the Government be pleased to state whether the promise held out in that reply by the Diwan was ever fulfilled; if not, why not?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar—Yes. Please see *Appendix "A."*

201. **Mr. N. Padmanabha Menon.**—i. Will the Government be pleased to state the dates on which Messrs. C. S. Vedantachari, M. P. Antony and P. Govinda Menon retired from service;

ii. in filling up the vacancies thus caused, will the Government be pleased to state whether the claims of Mr. Anantarama Ayyar were considered by the Government;

iii. will the Government be pleased to state whether the new incumbents were senior to Mr. Anantarama Ayyar in point of service?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—i. Mr. Vedantachari on 13th Chingam 1099.

Mr. Antony on 6th Kanni 1098.

Mr. Govinda Menon on 6th Medam 1101.

ii. Yes.

iii. Not all of them.

202. **Mr. N. Padmanabha Menon.**—i. Will the Government be pleased to state whether Mr. P. A. Anantarama Ayyar was ordered to retire from the State service in 1097 or 1098;

ii. will the Government be pleased to state whether the order was issued by the Diwan after getting the sanction of His Highness; if not, why not?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—i. Please see *Appendix "A."*

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ii. Please see answer to question 189 (v).

203 Mr. N. Padmanabha Menon.—Will the Government be pleased to state the number of petitions submitted by Mr. Anantarama Ayyar to the Government?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—This is a work of considerable labour, and the Government cannot find time to do it.

204. Mr. N. Padmanabha Menon.—Will the Government be pleased to place on the table a copy of the petition submitted to the Government through Mr. S. Rangaswami Ayyar, B. A. & B. L., and the Diwan's orders thereon?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—No petition was put in through Mr. Rangaswami Ayyar.

205. Mr. N. Padmanabha Menon.—Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have considered the claims of Mr. Anantarama Ayyar in filling up the vacancies caused by the promotion of Mr. V. Kumara Menon as the District Munsiff of Vadakkancheri?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—Please see answer to question 194 (iii).

206. Mr. N. Padmanabha Menon.—Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have considered the claims of Mr. Anantarama Ayyar in filling up the vacancy of Mr. K. K. Joseph?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—Vide answer to question 195 (4).

207. Mr. N. Padmanabha Menon.—Will the Government be pleased to state the reasons why Mr. Anantarama Ayyar was treated in such unique manner?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—The Government do not concur in the view that Mr. Anantarama Ayyar was treated in a unique manner.

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